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Freak accident at the Naval Yard



These two pictures were taken shortly after the freak accident in Murray Road yesterday afternoon. That at top shows the lorry as it came to rest, after having knocked down some 20 feet of the wall surrounding the Dockyard. Below is a close-up of the wrecked driver's cab on the lorry. — ("China Mail" Photo).

Lorry's mad dash down Garden Road

One of the most unusual traffic accidents ever recorded in Hong Kong occurred yesterday afternoon when a heavy lorry dashed down Garden Road out of control, crossed the tram tracks and crashed its way through the Naval Dockyard wall, Murray Road, killing a British sergeant.

The sergeant, who was on a motor cycle, was killed instantly. A Chinese seated by the lorry driver died in hospital last night, while the driver of the vehicle (a HK Electric Co. lorry) is not expected to live.

The name of the sergeant attached to the Signal Corps was withheld by the Army authorities pending notification of next of kin.

THE WEATHER

At 0000 GMT (8 p.m. HKST) a weakening trough of low pressure extends NWwards from the Luzon Strait across the Pacific to the South of Japan. To the North of this trough a belt of high pressure extends from North China to the North of Japan.

Today's Forecast—Moderate or fresh E or NE winds. Clouds with patches of drizzle at first; improving with fair periods in the afternoon.

Yesterday's Weather—

Minimum 12.8 deg. Fah.

Buoyancy 2.0 hours.

Rainfall: Total since Jan. 1—

268.1 mm.—10.4% less than average.

Wind: Force 4.

Humidity: 86.8%.

Sea Level: 10.8 m.



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AGENTS

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Inauguration of Jaycee in HK

The Junior Chamber of Commerce of Hong Kong will be formally inaugurated at a dinner party at the Peninsula Hotel on May 6, Mr. Henry Howell, Vice-President, told the Press yesterday.

Mr. Howell said since the movement was started in Hong Kong, there has been general enthusiasm among interested young men, and the promise of support has been most assuring.

A drive for new members will start after the inauguration. At present the organisation is composed of the sponsor members only.

Mr. Howell explained that the Jaycee organisation is not political, though members all over the world seem to find general agreement on the broadest political principles. No Jaycee organisation takes part in international politics.

The Jaycee creed, which embodies the ideals of the organisation, was explained by Mr. Howell as follows:

Transcendence of brotherhood of man over sovereignty of nations;

Economic justice can best be won by free men through free enterprise;

Lorry's mad dash down Garden Road

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In the confusion that followed, the injured from the truck were seen lying where they had fallen off at the large gap in the wall, while others, unburnt, jumped off and ran off for aid.

According to an eye-witness, the force of the blow dislodged a large round stone decoration further along the wall, which flew across the road onto the Hong Kong Cricket Club ground.

Area cordoned
The truck, after breaking through the wall, smashed into quarters adjacent to the wall, causing some damage.

On the arrival of the police, the area was cordoned off with the result that Eastbound traffic was halted. Large crowds of rush-hour spectators were drawn to the scene of the wreck.

Ambulances from the Naval Dockyard, the Military, and the Fire Brigade arrived and the injured were taken to the Queen Mary Hospital.

The sergeant's remains were taken to the British Military Hospital, Bowen Road.

Trade returned to normal about a half-hour later, after the wreck had been removed.

A barricade was later put up in the gap in the wall, at which were posted Royal Naval Yard policemen.

Mr. Howell expressed regret that in England opinion regarding the Jaycee organisation is somewhat different. At the last world conference in Manila, this gap was left, and it is hoped that by the time the next world conference comes round, there will be a change.

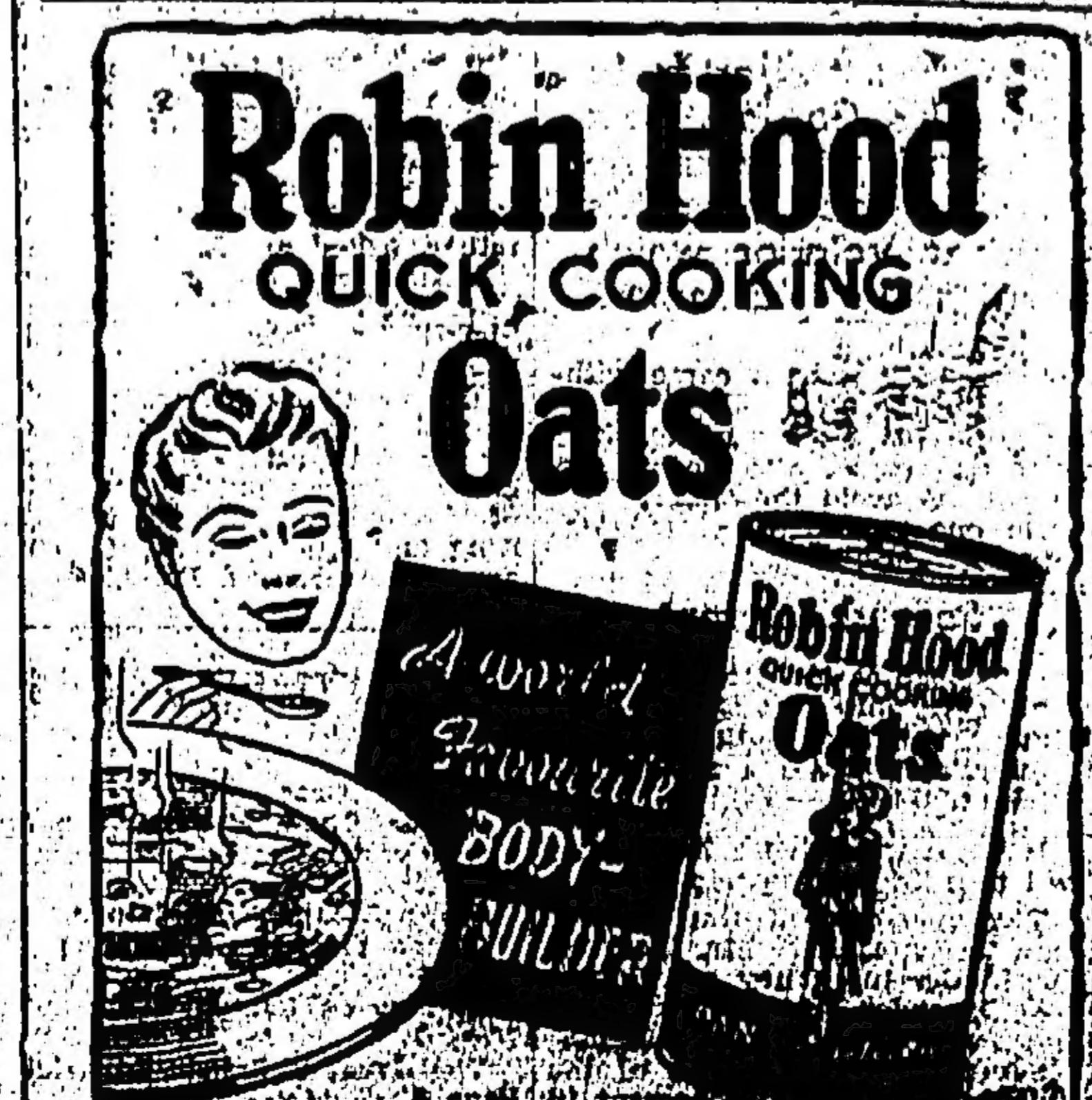
The next world conference will be held at Montreal, Canada, in May 1951.

Mr. Howell expressed appreciation of the overwhelming reception and hospitality accorded the three observers from Hong Kong at the recent Manila conference. The greatest publicity was given to the proceedings by the Press, and there was also a daily broadcast of the proceedings.

Mr. Howell said among the subjects which were discussed at Manila were the freezing of trade restrictions, the easing of international travel, and devising means of dealing with juvenile delinquency.

Others present at the conference yesterday were Mr. Edward Tan, President of the Hong Kong Jaycee; Mr. Arnold Hall, Secretary, Mr. Bernard Crot, Mr. Michael Arends and Mr. Austin Conter, adviser to the organisation.

Mrs. M. McLaren has donated \$20 to Kowloon Union Church Organ Fund, in memory of Jimmie Gellatly who died recently on home leave.



HOLD ON, NEAR HOSPITAL

A long, thin, pale, yellowish, rectangular strip, like a piece of dried fruit, is shown. It is described as being "pan-dried for easy cooking".

Bread price reduced to 50 cents

The maximum retail price allowed by law for bread has been reduced by 10 cents to 50 cents a pound, under a new list of price-controlled commodities published yesterday.

Other amendments announced yesterday—

Cheese: Pineapple Processed Cheese \$1.60 per lb.

Meat: Fresh, Mild Cured Ham (Australian), Alias Brand Salt Packed Smoked Ham \$3.00 per lb.; Eclipse Brand \$3.15 per lb.; Mayfair Brand Fresh Ham \$2.90 per lb.; Mayfair Brand Mild Cured Ham \$2.75 per lb.

Mild Cured Bacon (Australian), Mayfair Brand Mild Cured Smoked Bacon Middle \$2.45 per lb.

Tinned Milk: Unsweetened, Pacific Brand \$1.05 per lb.

Meat: Fresh, Mild Cured Ham (Australian). Pineapple Brand \$3.15 per lb.

Of two types

The Jaycee organisation is of two types, said Mr. Howell. There is the purely commercial type, and there is also the civic type. These are defined by the different countries themselves. In Australia and Europe, the commercial type prevails, while in Asia and the Philippines, the type is mostly civic.

Government should be by law rather than by men;

Earth's great treasure lies in human personality; and

Service to humanity is the best work of life.

Nationalists try to foil assault on Chusans

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Latest reports of Red preparations for invasion of Chusan Island say that two LSTs loaded with amphibious tanks are anchored in the Yangtze Estuary awaiting orders to sail South.

Without supporting evidence of any kind, the reports alleged that the tanks are manned by Soviet technicians.

The despatches further state that the Reds are busily recruiting boatmen along the coast South of Shanghai to help man the invasion armada they are supposed to be assembling in Hangchow Bay.

Many boatmen, these reports state, have fled inland to join the Nationalist guerrilla forces rather than serve the Reds.

Army quarters in Taiboh discount the theory that the Reds might bypass Chusan Island and attack Taiwan first.

This idea, they say, must have been deliberately spread by the Reds in an effort to relax the vigilance of Nationalist forces on Chusan.

Movement spreads

Reuter says: Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek yesterday suggested that the Communists will attempt to make a large-scale invasion of Taiwan from North China ports, such as Tsingtao.

He believes that the Communists are not able to mount a sufficient force on the nearer Chekiang and Fukien coasts because of the intense Nationalist patrols.

The Generalissimo said the Communists are mobilising the entire resources of the mainland for their assault on Taiwan and the odds, in numerical strength, are against the Nationalists.

But, the Generalissimo is convinced that the Nationalists will hold the Chusan and Kingmen islands, and that the Communists will fail in any attempt to invade Taiwan.

A Nationalist spokesman said that General Huai Yuch, Nationalist Commander-in-Chief in Hainan, is still in Yulin at the Southern tip of the island.

The spokesman said that the high command in Taiboh had remained in close touch with General Huai since the Nationalists withdrew from Hainan.

It was earlier reported in Hong Kong that General Huai had evacuated Hainan, some despatches stating that he had gone to Seigom.

Bitter lesson

General Chiang Ching-kuo, eldest son of the Generalissimo and political director of the National Defence Ministry, yesterday gave a Press conference his personal view on the withdrawal from Hainan.

"We must admit defeat boldly and take a bitter lesson from it," he said. "The false victory report was worse than the result of the defeat itself."

General Chiang said that since the complete withdrawal from the mainland, the forces in Hainan had lost their strategic value. In that light, he said, it was necessary for the Nationalists to pull out their economic and military strength from Hainan, to consolidate further the Taiwan and Chusan territory.

"We abandoned Nanking, Shanghai, Tientsin and Peking as the Communists had earlier abandoned Kalgan, Yenan, Changchun and Mukden for strategic and economic reasons," he said.

General Chiang gave four reasons for the Communist occupation of Hainan.

They were: (1) To counteract anti-Communist feeling on the mainland; (2) To gain a springboard for eventual Soviet Southward expansion; (3) To control iron ore deposits for Russian war industries; (4) Hainan was considered the weakest point in the Nationalist defence system.

They added: "The succeeding government of its rightful property."

Promissory notes

Mr. Potter mentioned that the sale was done with promissory notes which, incidentally, had not been produced by the other side.

He urged the other side of the airline to an agreement made by the British Government with the Chinese Government that would give the Chinese the right to fly over British territory.

According to the conventional understanding, the British would be entitled to compensation for the loss of revenue.

He urged the other side to consider that the sale should be

AIRLINES COUNSEL'S REPLY TO ARGUMENTS

Queries as to what authority allowed the Chinese

Nationalist Government to sell the disputed airlines, lock, stock and barrel, were yesterday made by Mr. Eldon Potter, KC, leading counsel for CNAC and CATC, in reply to the other side's arguments.

Before the Full Appeal Court, Mr. Potter asserted among other things that the Nationalist Government at all material dates was professing to function in Taiwan which, he said, was de jure territory of the Emperor of Japan.

This, counsel stated, had been ascertained by the cable from the Foreign Office received here in this connection. Thus, he reasoned, the illegal transactions between the Nationalists on the one hand and Major-General Claire E. Chenault and Mr. Whiting Willauer were done at a time when the government was in self-exile and were no more government of China.

"As to the CATC, Mr. Potter said he would not bother the Court much with it, as it was admittedly a department of the Government of China and was out of the question."

Whatever way one looks at it, he continued, the People's Government succeeds to the airlines. After further legal arguments heating was adjourned until 10 am on Monday.

Tito sees no danger of war now

Belgrade, April 26.

Marshal Tito said flatly today that he sees no immediate danger of war with the Soviet Union.

"I do not see any immediate danger of war," Tito declared at a Press conference for foreign correspondents, the first he has held in recent years.

Tito's declaration came after he was asked if he would welcome American aid from the United States.

The Marshal replied that he did not consider America could offer him arms, and added that his country had the means of making its own arms.

"I see no intense need for preparations for war," he then declared. "I do not see any immediate danger of war."

He cautioned, however, against the danger of creating blocs of spheres of influence, saying they always carry the danger of war.

He contended that the best way to settle international disputes is through the United Nations.

Associated Press.

RHEE DENIES MILITARY PACT WITH KMT

Seoul, April 26.

No military pact had ever been suggested between the Chinese Nationalists and South Korea, President Syngman Rhee declared today.

Dr. Rhee told foreign newsmen: "General Wu Teh-chen may have had some such idea when he spent two days in Seoul last week, but if so he did not say anything about it. If the Nationalists have any idea of establishing the bases in South Korea they did not mention it. As a matter of fact I had prepared in my mind to regulate definite opposition if such a proposal was made."

The closest General Wu came to such an overture was during the conversation with President Rhee, the Chinese Ambassador, Suu Yu-hui, the Korean Foreign Minister, Gen. C. Limb, and General Chu Shih-min, chief of the Chinese mission to Tokyo. At that time Dr. Rhee assured the Chinese visitors that "If the opportunity comes we will do what we can to help China's cause."

United Press.

CURIE DISMISSED

Paris, April 23.

France today dismissed Communist Dr. Frederic Joliot-Curie as High Commissioner of its atomic energy programme on the grounds that he is a threat to the security of the Western world.

The middle of the road coalition Cabinet of the Popular Republican (MRP) Premier George Bidault reached the decision this afternoon.

The announcement, read by the Minister of Information, Paul Henrion, said: "The Council of Ministers has decided to supersede the functions of the High Commissioner." Dr. Joliot-Curie, "the announcement gave no date of dismissal." Dr. Joliot-Curie's term expires in January, 1951. United Press.

SAIGON FIRING

Saigon, April 26.

Heavy mortars were pummeled with bursts of machine-guns and occasional rifle shots around Saigon's city centre early today.

Being continued intermittently for nearly an hour, the firing stopped.

According to unofficial military sources, troops were attacking Vietminh fighters against ships at the Saigon quayside and a sharp engagement resulted.

Associated Press.

IWC DANCE

An informal dance for Soviet women was held at the Hong Kong International Women's Club yesterday. Some 60 couples were present.

Next Thursday there will be a whisky drive at the Club at 7.30 p.m.

Personalia

Among the departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Thursday were Captain and Mrs. D. E. Teeter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simpson, Miss M. O'Brien, Miss I. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Boucher, Miss I. E. Stobart, Mrs. N. B. Jones, Tin Ooh, Lee Dong-tai, B. Wolf, H. E. Gray, P. A. Mac, A. A. Doran and H. T. B. Gardner.

Mr. Li J. Limer arrived in Hong Kong yesterday by CPA.

PORTUGUESE VESSEL'S ESCAPE FROM HAINAN

Reminders

Today

Fifth Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2 p.m.

Nine: Drangon Services Club, Tombola, 8 p.m.

Wah Yan College, one-set plays, at College Theatre, Robinson Road, 8.30 p.m.

St. Stephen's Girls' College Charity Bazaar, 10 a.m., opening by Mrs. Kwok Chan,

Miss Averil Tong presents "An Evening in Cathay", Rosary Church Club, 8.30 p.m.

Chocro Services Club, Tombola, 7.30 p.m.

Coming events

TOMORROW
Tao II classical concert, 5.30, Macdonald Road, 8.30 p.m.

Nine: Drangon Services Club, Tombola, 8 p.m.

European YMCA Armchair Group meeting talk on "The World Food Problem, and China" by Mr. Robert Hart, 8.45 p.m.

HK Art Club, sketching party to Shatin, members to meet at the Kowloon Star Ferry 10.30 a.m.

CHARITY BALL AT SKY ROOM

The dinner dance at the Sky Room Ballroom at Luna Park last night in aid of the Society for the Protection of Children was attended by more than 500 people.

Music was provided by the Sky Room Orchestra, and Miss Cheng Lo, the Luna Park entertainer, sang many songs which elicited much applause. She did particularly well in her Chinese numbers.

A special attraction of the evening was the ballet number by Miss Asia Mercatova, well-known ballerina, from Shanghai. She evoked cheers for the grace and beauty of her choreography.

The ball was held to raise money for the SPCC, which requires more than \$6,000 a month to carry on.

The Society is devoted to caring for indigent children of poor families.

GOLD SEIZURE

A large quantity of gold in bars and coins—325 taels valued at HK\$65,075—was confiscated by Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday, as there were no claimants.

Revenue Inspector L. Millington who made the successful application for confiscation said that on information received on April 26, a party of Revenue officers boarded the ss Hoihow which was anchored in the harbour. The vessel was searched and in one of the holds hidden among the cargo the gold was found.

GOLD IN PLANE

About 40 taels of gold, valued at about \$12,000, were discovered in the shoes of an occupant of a CAT plane from Taipeh yesterday.

FRESH FISH PRICES

Fresh fish average prices realized at the Hong Kong Fish Wholesale Market, Kennedy Town, yesterday were:

	Per Piece	Per Tael
Mud Grouper	\$1.65	.65
Ginger Fish	1.60	.65
Snapper	1.60	.65
White Pomfret (large)	2.05	.80
Macao Sole (large)	1.65	.65
" (small)85	.35
Golden Thread	1.12	.45
Head Grunt	1.15	.45
Horse Head (small)	1.25	.50
Conger Pike	1.25	.50
Red Sea Bream (large)	1.20	.50
" (small)	1.15	.45
White Herring	1.35	.60
Hake Tail80	.35

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ANTI-SISTERINE

The Communist invasion of Hainan Island freed the 696-ton Portuguese vessel, the ss San Manuel, from her 99-day imprisonment by the Nationalists in Hoihow Harbour.

Under cover of the Communist shelling from the Liuchow Peninsula, the San Manuel, with release papers handed to the skipper, weighed anchor and made a dash as swarms of KMT barges loaded with soldiers in retreat, attempted to stop and commander the freighter.

The San Manuel sailed through Hainan Strait on April 22, reaching Macao two days later where she discharged her long delayed cargo of 500 tons of cement. The Portuguese vessel arrived in Hong Kong on Thursday for a future journey to Keelung.

The skipper and crew, interviewed by the "China Mail," described their detention in Hoihow as being without incident save for the boarding of the freighter by January 15 by an armed party of the KMT Navy. In Hoihow they were allowed freedom of movement from ship to shore, and money and provisions were easily obtained, the skipper said.

The skipper said that the San Manuel was attributed by the skipper as reprisal for the Portuguese detention of several Nationalist gunboats in Macao.

The skipper said that he was on his way from Haiphong to Hong Kong on January 13 with a cargo of cement when arriving at a port in Hainan Strait, he decided to drop anchor as it was unsafe to negotiate the difficult passage in the dwindling light.

The San Manuel was at this time eight miles from Kumi Point and 11 miles from Lingkow in Hainan. At 11 p.m. on the same day, a Nationalist warship, the Tai-cheng, approached and an armed party boarded the Portuguese freighter.

The first three trips of the Tak Shing will be specially made for "Charity Funds"—fares collected on these trips will be sent to several charitable organizations in the Colony.

The Tak Shing, equipped with modern amenities and navigational aids, will leave for the Portuguese colony at 8.30 a.m. return by noon and depart again on the following morning.

Her master is the well known Irish veteran skipper, Mr. W. F. O'Farrell.

The vessel is owned by the Tai Yip Company of Hong Kong.

HAPPY VALLEY RACES OVER REDIFFUSION

Rediffusion will have their special sports commentators on hand today at the Race Course to present a running commentary of the first five Races and the results of the remaining races.

Of special interest will be the running of the St. George's Plate which is a handicap race for Australian Ponies of 1950 and is a one-mile event. There is also the Victoria Peak Handicap for Australian Ponies of 1950 classified Class Two. There will be a running commentary on these two events.

Complete results of the races will be broadcast in English at 8.30 p.m. and in Chinese at 7 p.m. today.

MORTGAGE STORY DENIED

The Chief Manager of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Sir Arthur Morse, told the "China Mail" yesterday that there is no truth whatever in the report carried by one of the local Chinese newspapers on Thursday about the refusal of mortgages of leasehold property North of Boundary Street in Kowloon.

The article in the "China Mail" yesterday which referred to the report in the Chinese newspapers, added that some mortgages were accepted and others refused, but that no cause did such refusals have any political significance.

MYSTERY MEN IN CAT PLANE

Thirty Chinese passengers, clad only in their underclothes, were passengers in a CAT aircraft which landed at Kai Tak for refuelling yesterday.

The plane, bearing the Nationalist emblem, arrived from Nhastrang, near Saigon, and took off for Taiwan later.

The men were reported to be Nationalist soldiers who escaped from Hainan to Indo-China.

PRISON FIGHT

At least two warders of the Victoria Hermano Prison agree to the fact that women are the cause of trouble after being bound over in a sum of \$50 for six months by Mr. J. Reynolds at Central yesterday.

The men, Joseph Yim, Asst. Secy. and Mr. Wadham Dalaam at the Victoria Hermano Prison, agreed to the terms of the new Diesel for the installation of the new Diesel. See which is expected to arrive in March next year and which should be ready to go into service by July.

The target is \$100,000. Already public response has been good but \$40,000 is still needed.

It is sincerely hoped that through the sale of flowers today this amount will be secured.

Gifts may also be sent direct to the Salvation Army Headquarters, 4th Floor, Union Building.

PARTY AT KTC

The entire local Sindhi community will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wadham Dalaam at the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club tomorrow at 3 p.m.

The couple have also invited their friends and well-wishers to the function which is to celebrate the birth of the couple's grandson, Rama.

During the afternoon, there will be a programme of sports. Light refreshments will be served and prizes and toys will be distributed to the children.

TO BE WED

The forthcoming wedding has been announced by John Bernard Patrick Bryan, accountant of 100 Gloucester, Belgrave Road, Stanley, and Miss Christine Kirby, secretary of Helena May, Islington, and Revenue Collector Robert William North, 100 Gloucester Apartments, Kowloon, and Miss Francesca Mary Bullock, principal staff of Medical Officer, Hospital, Alabion, Flat 1.

The annual election of officers of the Hong Kong Rotary Club will take place on Tuesday, the 21st of April.

On Friday, April 21, will be a closed meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

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1. As a Special Resolution:—

"That the Articles of Association of the Company be altered by substituting the following Article for Article No. 91 of the Company's Articles of Association:—

"91 The Directors shall be paid out of the funds of the Company remuneration for their services at the rate of \$4,000 per annum for each Director other than the Chairman and the Chairman shall be paid out of the funds of the Company remuneration at the rate of \$5,000 per annum, together with such further sums (if any) as the Company in General Meeting may from time to time determine, and such remuneration shall be deemed to accrue de dicto in them."

2. As an Ordinary Resolution:—

"That it is desirable to capitalise the sum of \$3,000,000. being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing at the credit of the Company's Reserve Fund and accordingly that a special Capital Bonus of \$3,000,000. be declared and that such bonus be applied on behalf of the persons who on the 24th day of May, 1950 were the holders of the 488,892 issued shares of the Company in payment in full for 488,892 unissued shares of the Company of a nominal value of \$7.50 each and that such 488,892 shares credited as fully paid be accordingly allotted to such persons in the proportion of one such share for every one of the said 488,892 shares then held by such persons respectively, and that the shares so distributed shall be treated for all purposes as an increase of the nominal amount of the Capital of the Company held by each such shareholder and not as income, and that such shares shall rank for Dividends from the 1st January, 1950."

3. As an Ordinary Resolution:—

"That the authorised capital of the Company be increased from its present capital of \$7,500,000. divided into 1,000,000 shares of \$7.50 each (of which 488,892 shares have been issued and of which a further 488,892 shares are to be issued) to fully

NOTICE

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paid Bonus Shares in terms of Resolution 2 above) to \$30,000,000. by the creation of 3,000,000 additional shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each and that the unissued shares of the Company's capital and such additional shares as aforesaid shall be issued at such time or times and open such terms and conditions as the Company's Board of Directors in their absolute discretion shall think fit."

NOTICE is also hereby given that if the Resolution 3, above is duly passed it is the intention of the Directors to offer to members shown on the Register of Members of the Company at 24th May, 1950 (being the date it is proposed to close the Transfer Books of the Company prior to the 50th Ordinary Yearly Meeting to be held on Wednesday, 7th June, 1950) 22,216 unissued shares of the Company of a nominal value of \$7.50 each together with an additional 466,678 shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each created in accordance with the above Resolution, making a total of 488,892 shares, on the footing that the full nominal value of each share taken up shall be paid in full on acceptance of the offer and in any case not later than 30th September, 1950 and so that each member of the Company or his approved nominee shall be entitled to apply for and take up one new share for every issued share held by such member on the 24th May, 1950. The shares so offered shall rank for dividend as from the 1st day of July, 1950.

The Directors will dispose of any shares offered to members in the event of non-acceptance by payment thereof by members or their approved nominees on or before 30th September, 1950, at such time or times and upon such terms and conditions as they may decide.

It is most important that any persons who have purchased shares in the Company but are not on the Register in respect thereof should, if they wish to take advantage of the offer, present their transfers for registration accompanied by the requisite share certificates before the 24th May, 1950.

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IMPORTANT MOVES BY BRITAIN IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Britain today recognised King Abdullah's decree doubling the size of his Jordan Kingdom by annexing a large area of Palestine held by the Arab Legion since the war with Israel.

Simultaneously, Britain gave its final blessing to the young Israel State by raising her recognition from the year-old "de facto" to full "de jure" approval.

But in making these decisions, which were announced in the House of Commons, Britain laid down important conditions.

She reserved her views on the permanent frontiers of Israel and her Arab neighbours until they reach a final peace settlement, and her recognition of Jordan's annexation of Eastern Palestine carried no decision about the future of Jerusalem.

Today's decision bring Jordan's new territory under the protective "wing" that Britain had provided in the Anglo-Jordan Treaty of Alliance in 1948.

But the Minister of State, Mr. Kenneth Younger, said in the House of Commons today that Britain had no intention of setting up military bases in Palestine in the annexed territory.

The annexation of land East of the river Jordan was proclaimed by King Abdullah on Monday in defiance of the six other States of the Arab League. It makes him one of the most powerful personalities in the Middle East.

About Jerusalem, Britain went no further today than to accord "de facto" recognition to Israel and Jordan authority in the areas they controlled.

UK obligations

Until there is a final settlement on the future of that part of the city which the United Nations decided should be internationalised, Britain is unable to recognise Jordan's sovereignty over any part of it, Mr. Younger said.

Here again he left no doubt that Britain's obligations under her Alliance with Jordan extend to the part of Jerusalem she holds—the Old City.

Britain's decisions were communicated to Israel and Jordan shortly before the House of Commons announcement. The six other Arab League Governments were also informed beforehand.

Members of the British Commonwealth had been consulted. The United States, France and Turkey, as members of the United Nations' Palestine Conciliation Commission, were also kept informed. One main and continuing aim of British foreign policy is the stability and prosperity of the Middle East and the establishment of peace between Israel and the Arab nations, a Foreign Office spokesman said today.

He hoped that today's decisions would contribute to its achievement.

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, approved in principle the union of Jordan with Arab Palestine in a foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons last May.

Can be solved

Mr. Younger, in his announcement to Parliament today, said: "In announcing these two acts of

recognition, His Majesty's Government wish to reaffirm their conviction that the problem of Palestine is capable of solution by peaceful means given goodwill and understanding on the part of all parties concerned.

"It is their earnest hope that the steps they have now taken will help to create stability in the areas concerned and will make a contribution to the peace of the Middle East as a whole."

Mr. Winston Churchill, the Conservative Opposition leader, said amid cheers that Dr. Chaim Weizmann, President of Israel, and King Abdullah of Jordan had both over the vicissitudes of the past 20 or 30 years shown themselves always staunch friends of Britain.

He urged the Minister to avail himself to the fullest of any possible opportunity of bringing these two eminent men into the closest and most harmonious contacts.

Mr. Churchill asked if he was quite right in assuming that this was the general path on which the Government was embarking.

Mr. Younger: "Yes, Sir. And it is a great pleasure for me to associate myself with the remarks Mr. Churchill has made about the two gentlemen concerned."

Helping toward agreement

Mr. Somerset de Chair, Conservative, urged the Government to call a conference of all Middle Eastern countries involved in an attempt to get a determined settlement of the outstanding problems such as the future of Jerusalem, the closing of the Canal and the pipe-line, as no two of these Middle East countries seemed to be agreed.

"I think this would be an important contribution to the solidarity of the area, which is essential to prevent the spread of Communism," he added.

Mr. Younger replied: "We hope that the action we are announcing today will help in reaching an agreement between these countries over the many problems which face them. But I do not think I can commit myself to the idea of the conference as necessarily the best way to settle differences."

Mr. Churchill asked if the Minister and the Government would reconsider the decision to

sell 110 jet aeroplanes to the Egyptian Government.

Mr. Younger replied that Mr. Churchill would appreciate that the whole question of the supply of arms to the Middle East was under constant consideration.

He did not think he could, at this moment, add anything to the statement he had just made.

Mr. Churchill suggested that he should bring it to the notice of the Prime Minister. "It was a very important one," he said.

He also asked Mr. Younger to consult the Prime Minister on the continuous stoppage of tankers passing through the Canal Zone which is hampering Britain's efforts to get the Haifa Refinery into operation.

Mr. Younger replied that these and other important matters are being actively considered by the Government.

Positive steps

Mr. Sidney Silverman, a Jewish Labour Member, congratulated the Government on the positive and constructive steps forward it had taken. But he urged that the whole question of supplies of arms under Britain's treaties with the surrounding Arab States should be reconsidered—indeed suspended—until such time as they were prepared to negotiate treaties of peace with Israel.

Mr. Younger: "I take note of that, but I do not think any comment of mine is called for."

Lord Wimborne, Conservative, said some Members who had had very intimate connections with the Middle East believed that Israel and Jordan were by far the most stable States in the Middle East.

First things should come first and a treaty between them should be the Government's object as far as possible, he said.

Mr. Younger commented that the British Government wished to see an agreement between Israel and all the neighbouring States.

Major Edward Leggo-Bourke, Conservative, said that speaking strictly for himself he considered the de jure recognition of Israel to be the most hideous betrayal of all those men who fought in Palestine.

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Abdullah's move backed in Cairo

Cairo, April 27. The veteran statesman, Ismail Sidky Pasha, today became the first Egyptian openly to support King Abdullah's act incorporating East Palestine into the Kingdom of Jordan, when he said here: "I believe, the move is in accordance with the wishes of the East Palestine people."

He added: "These people took part in the recent elections, and now share in the conduct of affairs in an enlarged Jordan State."

Sidky Pasha also favoured a Jordan-Syria-Iraq union.

"The presence of a strong Arab country in the North and another (Egypt) in the South will deter Israel from further expansion," he declared.

Asked whether Jordan sought a preliminary peace with Israel, Sidky Pasha said: "Peace with Israel would contribute towards political stability in the Middle East, and as such should be welcomed."—Reuter.

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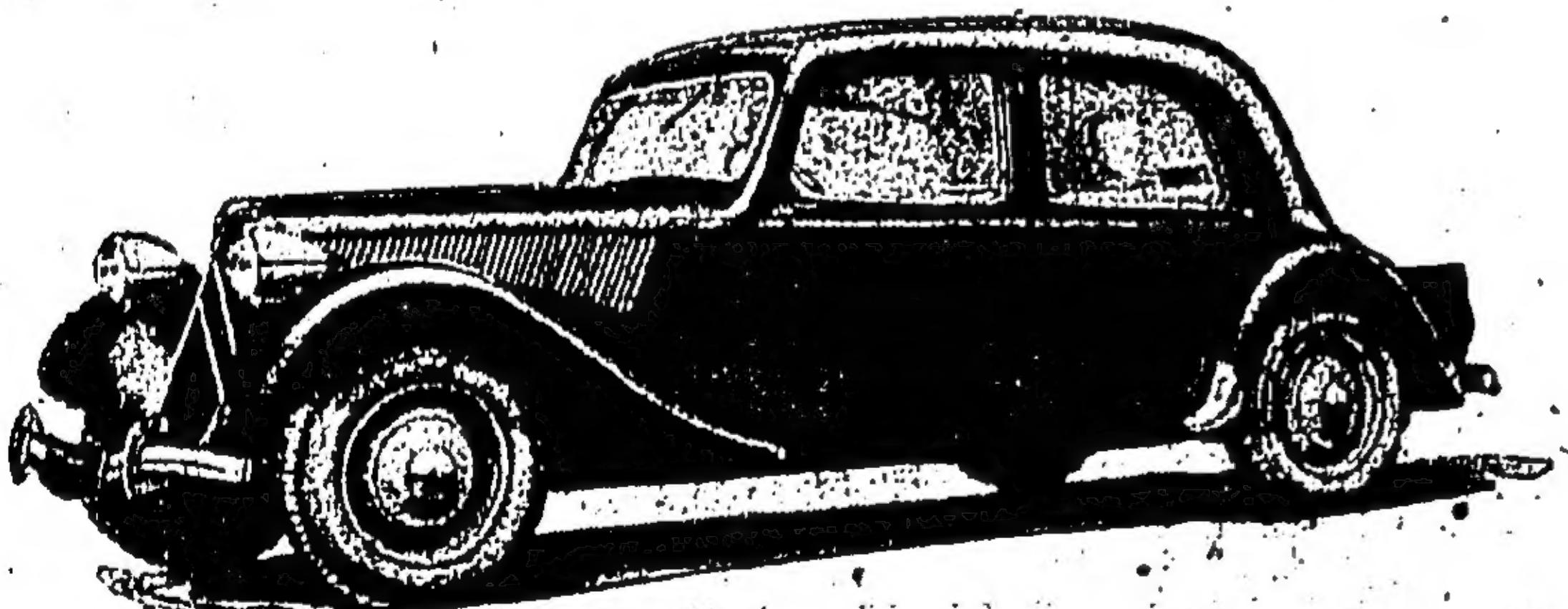
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MOTORING NEWS AND VIEWS

Road accidents in Britain

During 1949, 176,779 persons were killed or injured in 146,736 road accidents in Great Britain. This was the highest total of road casualties for any year since the war, and was 23,382, or 15 per cent, more than for 1948.

The deaths numbered 4,773, an increase of 260 compared with the previous year, though less than for any other year since the war. The seriously injured totalled 43,410, an increase of 10,434 over the 1948 figure.

In 1948 the road accident position improved, but this was not maintained in 1949, when nearly 300,000 additional vehicles were licensed and more petrol was available. The best feature of the 1949 records is a reduction in the number of child deaths, the figure being 963.

Following are the figures of casualties for 1938 and recent years:

	Deaths	Injured	Injured
1938	5,649	10,915	137,878
1945	6,156	12,537	100,565
1946	5,052	14,688	120,896
1947	4,881	15,697	125,021
1948	4,813	33,067	116,817
1949	4,773	43,410	128,598

Road casualties during December totalled 16,513, including 537 killed and 4,200 seriously injured. Compared with December, 1948, there was an increase of 399 in the total casualties and of 587 in the seriously injured, the latter being the highest for December since 1941.

As in 1948, December was the worst month of the year for road deaths, although the total of 537 was 10 less than that for the corresponding month of 1948. Child deaths numbered 56, and were 14 fewer than in December, 1948.

December 23 and Christmas Eve took a heavy toll on the roads with 1,370 casualties, including 36 killed and 421 seriously injured.

Four pedestrian crossings in London are being used for experiments to find out whether the lighting of crossings leads to improved behaviour on the part of both the pedestrians and motorists.

At all four sites, the surface of the crossings has been marked with the black and white "zebra" stripes, now being developed as a result of experimental work at the Road Research Laboratory.

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At two of the sites the crossings have been specially floodlit. One of these is at the junction of City Road and Morland Street, Finsbury, and the other is at the junction of Holloway Road and Fairbridge Road, Islington.

At the other two sites the orange globes of the Bellshill beacons have been lighted internally with 60-watt lamps; a window of clear glass in the globe is designed to throw some of the light down onto the crossings.

New record for Austin

New York, April 27.—A standard Austin car established 18 new records in the first 370 miles of a 24-hour test at Suffolk County Airport track, 100 miles from New York, today.

With six hours elapsed, the Austin averaged between 66 and 67 miles per hour.

Dave Gundry, the official American Automobile Association representative, announced this

adding that there are no existing American stock car records for this class of car, an A-40 Austin.

The car began a 24-hour speed run at 6:20 a.m. with Alan Hess driving, taking turns with Colonel Eddie Gardner.

The AAA, which is officially timing the test, said that both the drivers were holding up well and making excellent time considering the stiff wind blowing across the eight-cornered track, which is 200 yards short of three miles.

After the first two hours, Hess drove into the pits and while the car was being refuelled and had a tire changed, Hess said that the Austin sometimes exceeded 75 mph on the straight. The tyres were wearing badly, he said then, and two were changed in the first few hours.—Associated Press.

New Italian cars

The latest F.I.A.T. Type 101 displays great diversity in the characteristics of the engines in the two experimental models which are at the moment being studied.

One has a very short stroke, almost less than the bore, while the other is completely the opposite, with a stroke of 115 mm. for a bore of 62 mm.

Before May 4, when the Turin Show opens, the company will decide which version will be proceeded with. In both cases the capacity of the engine is about 1,400 c.c. with four cylinders with valves in the head-of-class type.

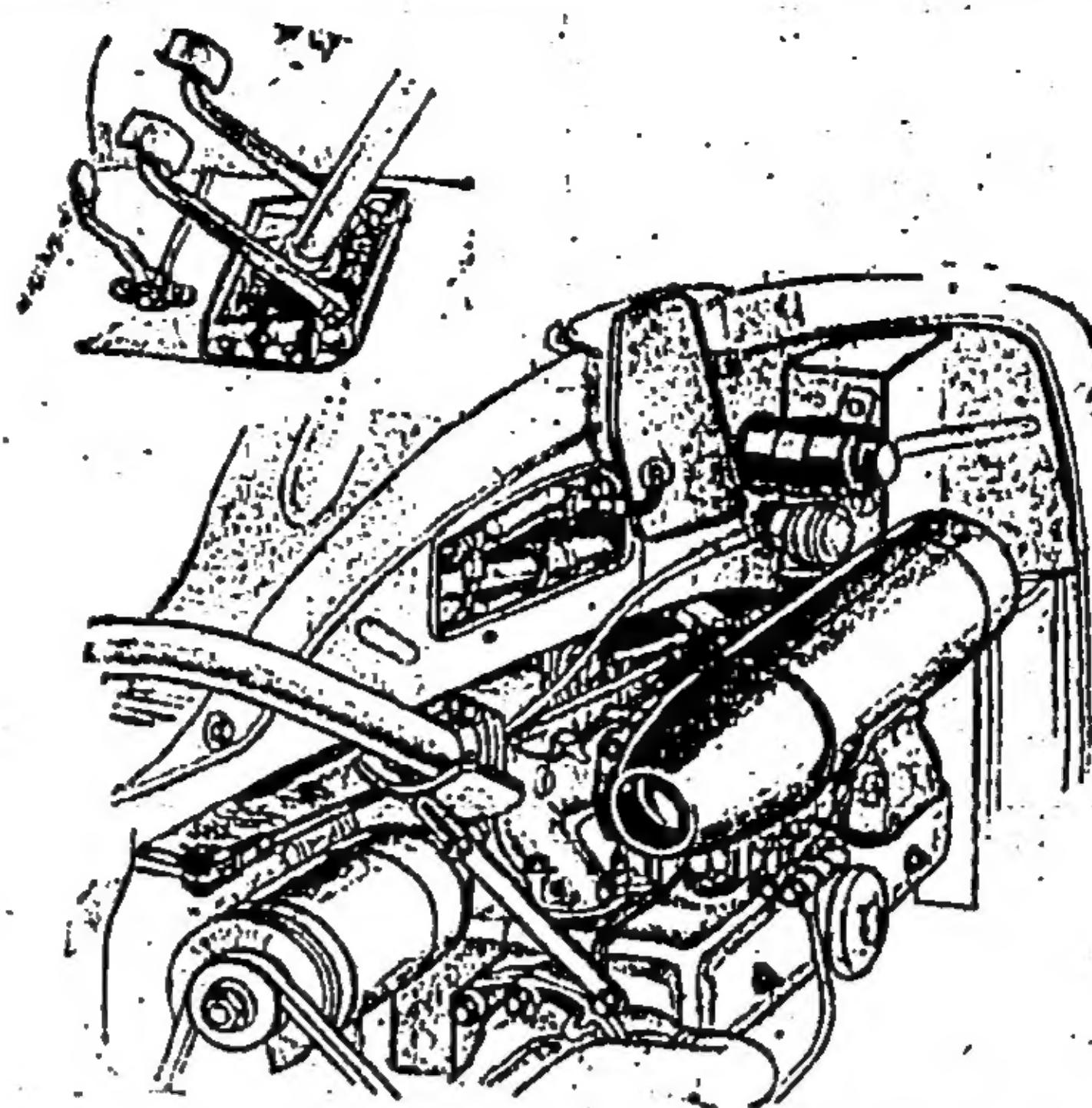
Both engines develop circa 50 h.p., which gives the car the maximum speed of about 70 m.p.h., at which speed it maintains a large margin of stability.

The gear-change lever will be on the steering column and all gear ratios are synchronised and silent. The chassis is made of welded tubes with independent suspension and the rear springing is with torsion bars. The complete weight is 13.7 cwt. and the fuel consumption should be about 25 m.p.g. Production will continue with both the Type 500 C and the 1100 E.

Another novelty is the new Lancia "Aurelia," which is a completely redesigned car and has a six-cylinder engine on the classic Lancia line of narrow-angle Vee with a capacity of 1,750 c.c. and an output of 65 h.p.

One must not forget the new Alfa Romeo, which comes from the energetic hands of engineer Alfieri.

The first new Alfa is a four-



Latest modifications to the Citroen Light Fifteen as assembled in Britain include longer pedal arms with a higher pivot point giving a more normal pedal travel. The brake cylinder is moved to a more accessible position inside the main structure and the clutch is now operated by rod instead of cable. The new Vokes air cleaner and silencer is shown.

British Citroens

The Citroen Light Fifteen, assembled at the British factory at Slough, has undergone no fundamental change in mechanical specification or external appearance since the design left the drawing board 17 years ago, yet the car is still eagerly bought by discerning drivers in many different countries.

Last year it has proved capable of making best performance in the Alpine Trial and winning the most important team prizes in the Alpine Trial and the International Evian Alpine Rally.

A different kind of tribute to its popularity, performance and nimble behaviour has recently been paid by the most expert Continental jewel thieves, whose devotion to the Light Fifteen has given them the name of "Traction Avant Bandits."

After 17 years it is right up-to-date in specification, and in point of numbers sold it is still one of the most popular cars produced in Europe, surely an achievement without parallel in automobile history.

Although the basic design has remained unchanged there has, of course, been a steady process of improvement and refinement and this has continued during the past year.

The latest cars to be assembled, trimmed, equipped and finished in Britain have a new type of pedal for brakes and clutch, with a longer arm and higher pivot which gives a more conventional arc of movement and eliminates the need for pressing sharply downwards on the pedals, which was a feature of past Citroens.

This has been combined with a rod instead of a cable to control the clutch, and in redesigning the operating levers it has

The six-cylinder follows the same general layout as the Light Fifteen with an integral body-chassis structure, front-wheel drive, independent front suspension by torsion bars, and a dead trailing axle with torsion bar springing at the rear.

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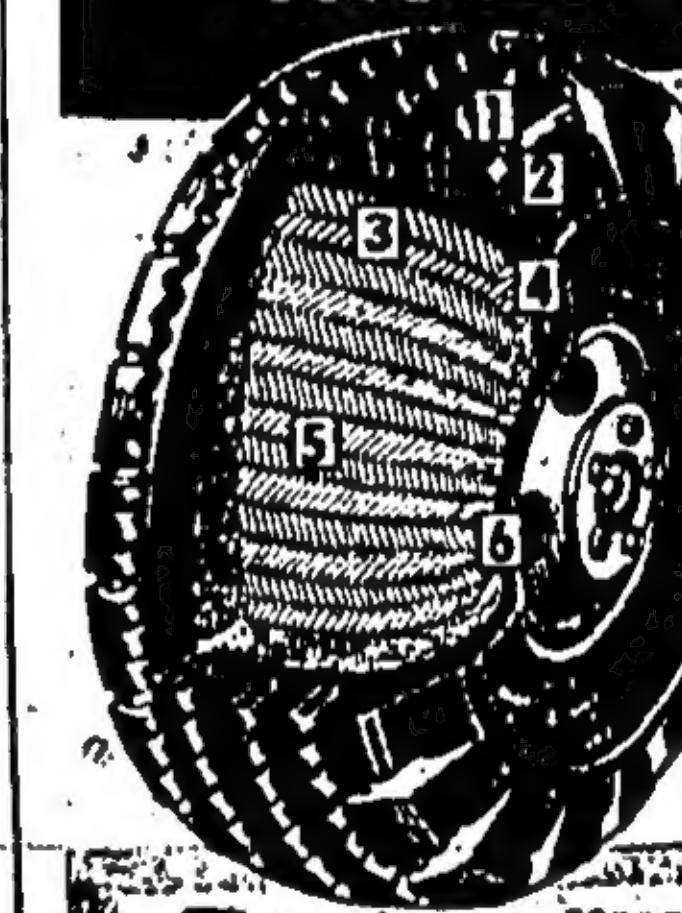
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Browder refutes accusations by Mr. McCarthy

Washington, April 27.

Earl Browder, deposed leader of the American Communists, swore under oath today that he knows of no Communists in the State Department.

He also branded as false, ex-Communist Louis Budenz, sworn testimony that he (Browder) had officially described Owen Lattimore as a Communist.

He then invited possible contempt action when he flatly refused to tell Senate investigators who, besides himself and a Chinese Red leader, was present at a meeting before the formation of the United Nations at San Francisco.

Mr. Browder testified before the Senate Foreign Relations sub-Committee investigating charges made by Senator Joseph McCarthy. He became defiant when Senator Bourke Hickenlooper asked who was present at a meeting with him and a Chinese Communist leader before the United Nations was formed.

"I do not remember, and if I did I would not give you that information," he said.

Senator Hickenlooper promptly noted for the record that all five members of the sub-Committee were present to hear Mr. Browder's testimony. This usually is the Congressional prelude to a contempt citation, which could possibly result in a jail sentence and fine.

When the witness said he could not be forced to answer, Senator Hickenlooper said, "That determination will be made by the Committee."

"Possibly," shrugged Mr. Browder. Then, raising his voice—for which he later apologised—he added: "I just wanted to make it clear that I am not going to be intimidated by any person."

Senator Hickenlooper then asked the witness whether the meeting in question was attended by the career diplomat, John Service, who has been accused by Senator McCarthy of being a poor security risk.

After saying he would not answer the question of who was or was not at the meeting, witness remarked: "Now we have the question in a general form. Ordinarily, I would have no hesitancy in answering such a question, except that experience has taught me that once I start answering such questions I am embarked on a fishing expedition."

Mr. Budenz issued a statement in New York saying it was no surprise to him that Browder had told investigators his (Budenz) testimony was false.

"Up to few months ago Mr. Browder was an open, registered Soviet agent," he said. "I had no illusions but that he would be a reluctant witness—What—I had hoped and still hope is that questioning will elicit from him the story of the Communist cell in the Institute of Pacific Relations."

China policy

Mr. Browder was questioned about Mr. Budenz' statement that Mr. Browder had praised Mr. Lattimore's contribution to selling the Party line on China in 1937—that the Chinese Communists were agrarian reformers. Mr. Browder said this was not so. At that time, he said, the Communists were maintaining that the Chinese Communists were leading the military struggle in China against Japan.

"Unity in China was the key word," he said, but added that

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The town of anxious dread

When I registered at the Carlton Hotel the elegant Englishman behind the desk said: "Are you going to write Washington up?" I said "Yes." That was before I had looked around!

I regret that I have to write Washington DOWN. If Hollywood is the city of dreadful anxiety, then Washington is the town of anxious dread.

The two places have much in common. Both are crammed with actors, strutters, headline-hunters, whabbies, phonies, social seekers, pressure groups, Pressmen, intriguers, five-per-centers, and whispering campaigners.

Sensation every day

Both are over-populated with pretty girls and uniformed waiters, overladen with drug-stores, sandwich counters, traffic signals, and traps for tourists, and overhung with too many parties.

You could swap all the characters in Washington for all the characters in Hollywood and no one would notice the difference.

There are the stars or Senators, before the cameras; the supporting players, or Congressmen, backstage; the Klieg lights, the fans, the reporters, and the gossip-writers.

And there is a sensation every day. Currently the Kansas City shootings are making everyone breathless.

Last week the featured attraction was "Spies in the State Department." Senator Joseph McCarthy got top billing. This week the box-office smash-hit is "These Guns for Hire."

There is no particular star in this underworld feature—only a group of talented gangster types who try to be politicians.

I think this masterpiece about mobsters will have a long run.

Honest views

The honest and decent people here, who, of course, comprise about 99.9 per cent of the population, are getting rather tired of all the sensation.

Several have said to me: "The shootings in Kansas City are a national scandal, but don't make it an international one." And "This Red hunt is rubbish—no

one takes the charges seriously." Even the Daily News, not the most sensitive or scrupulous newspaper, says editorially:

"What with our State Department accused of harbouring Communists and queers, and the Truman crowd now bespattered with Blingaggio's and Gargotta's gore, so to speak, the United States, and particularly, the politicians in power at Washington, must look just dandy to the rest of the world."

Well, they said it, I didn't. What is happening is that the enemies of the President and of the Secretary of State, Dean Acheson, are doing everything to smear the present Administration.

Clean-up needed

There is no doubt that Washington needs a clean-up. The White House is being renovated, and Blair House, another official residence, is being repainted, but the spring-cleaning should be extended.

On the surface the capital looks resplendent. There are the spacious avenues, the magnificent Government buildings, the glossy hotels—but the opulence and beauty are skin-deep.

Washington is a city of dreadful slums. The Negro lives in squalor within sight of the Capitol dome. And Washington has the largest per capita Negro population of any city in the United States. Thirty per cent of this town of 1,500,000 population are coloured.

They are condemned to filthy shacks. They are effectively segregated, kept out, and kept down.

No one, not even the global planners, knows what to do about them. The subject is not welcomed as a teacup or cocktail party topic.

When in the National Press Club—perhaps the best newspapermen's club in the world—I asked John O'Donnell, the ferocious and sometimes Anglophobic columnist of the New York Daily News, why no one in Washington had the right to vote, he changed the subject to Sir Basil Brooke and the partition of Ireland.

The reason, of course, why residents of Washington, the capital

are condemned to filthy shacks. They are effectively segregated, kept out, and kept down.

All Government departments here use the whisper and use it regularly. If you are deaf, you do not thrive in Washington. The British, being quick-eared and tight-lipped, usually get along well.

At the moment we are being given soothing syrup. A few days ago we were being told who should be our War Minister, when and why the partition of Ireland should end, what to do with Marshall Plan money if we got it, and how to behave.

It was asked: Who did we think we were—a Sovereign State, an Independent Nation, an Ally, or a neutral woman?

These police questions have ended. Our friends now realise they went too far.

If we like we can choose our own Ministers as long as we don't tell them anything; we can postpone the Irish decision as long as we finally follow Dublin's advice, and also we can drink tea, though not too many cups.

This is progress. I tell you the British are doing well here.

Heard about the capital? Among the things most often opened by mistake in Washington is the mouth.

The only place where Truman and Stalin would ever meet would be Last Resort.

There is no show news this week as there are no shows in Washington.

Footnote: The only office most politicians here seem interested in is the box-office.

Some quarters here said it has long been anticipated that Chiang intended in some way to throw down the gauntlet to Russia in order to provoke World War III as the best means of restoring his Nationalist regime to power.

Those quarters even suggested that Chiang might declare war on Russia if the United States showed signs of recognising Mao Tse-tung's Communist Government. By creating a situation wherein he could accuse Russia of active intervention, he could make a declaration of war, and thereby hope to force the United States to take sides.—United Press.

Two parties of British trade unionists left London by air today to tour Communist countries.

One party of factory workers is to spend a fortnight in Russia.

The other, comprising eight trade union officials, is to visit Yugoslavia.—Reuter.

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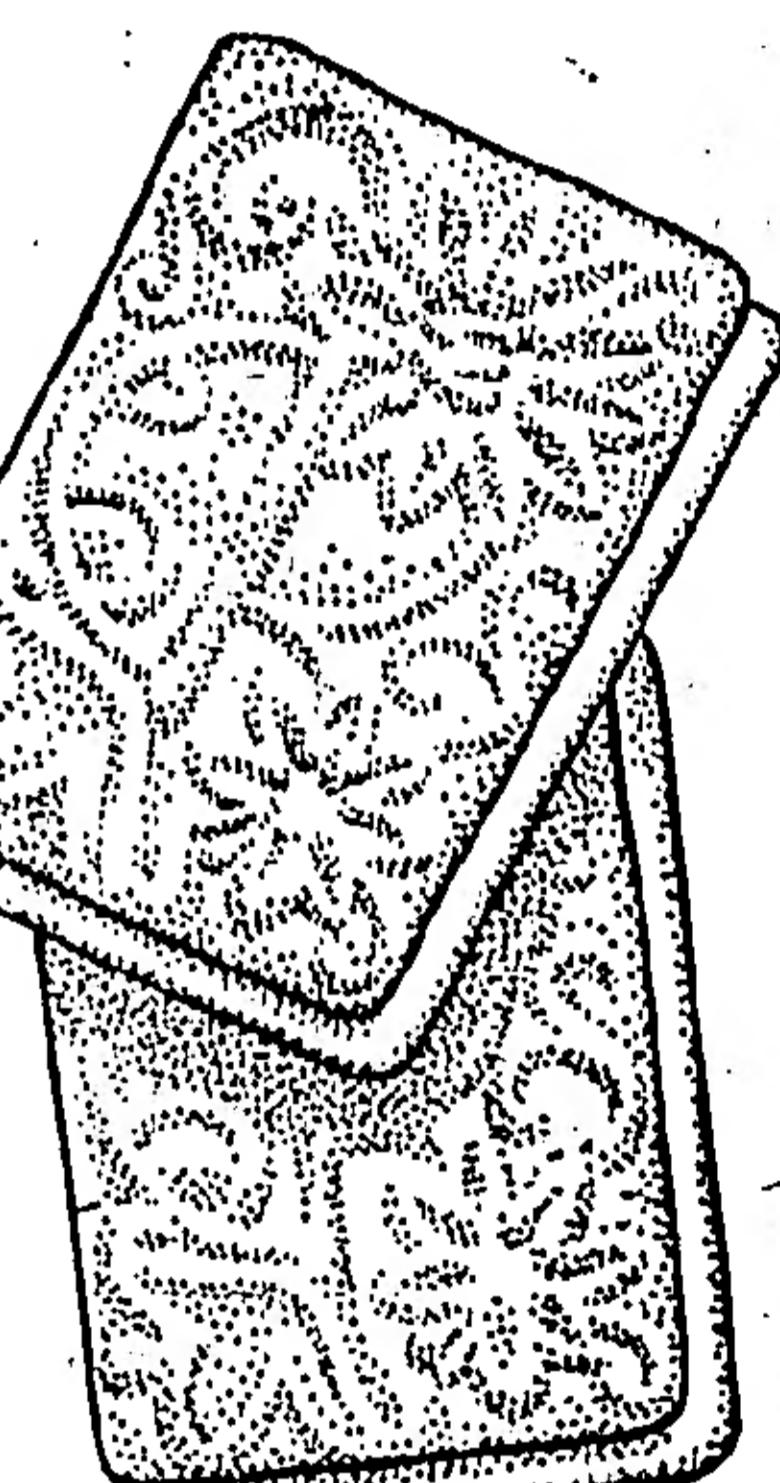
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Vietnam Premier resigns under French pressure

Bao Dai, Vietnam Chief of State, yielded to strong French pressure last night and signed a decree accepting the resignation of Nguyen Phan Long, the first appointed Premier of Vietnam. Members of Bao Dai's official delegation here said the Chief of State has designated Tran Van Huu, Governor of Southern Vietnam, as the new Premier.

There had been frequent criticism in Saigon that Nguyen Phan Long, by his failure to follow a strong course, was playing into the hands of the ultra-Nationalists.

French-supported Bao Dai is trying to rally the Indo-Chinese people into a State which will be a part of the French Union. He is being opposed by Moscow-trained Ho Chi-minh, whose rebel government has been recognised by the Soviet Union.

French officials made no secret of the strong pressure France exerted on Bao Dai to dismiss Nguyen Phan Long.

The first break between the Premier and the French came last February when Nguyen Phan Long insisted that American aid should be given directly to the Vietnamese instead of being funnelled through France. His independent line of action since then has made him unacceptable to the French.

Vietnamese circles have agreed that the French-sponsored Government has suffered significant loss of prestige in the Cabinet reshuffle. Most Vietnamese who are highly sovereignty conscious are interpreting it as further proof of French control of the three-month-old State — which had nominally been granted internal autonomy.

The Premier-designate, Tran Van Huu, is considered by most Vietnamese as strongly pro-Reuter.

Hush-hush meetings of Western experts

Diplomats of Britain, France and the United States met twice today to plan next month's highly important "Big Three" conference.

The American delegation, headed by Dr. Philip C. Jessup, U.S. Ambassador-at-large, was the centre of today's activities. The Americans held separate conferences with both the British and French. There was no session of all the three powers at the same time.

Not a single official word has come from these preparatory talks since they opened on Monday. At that time the British Foreign Office and an American Embassy spokesman both made brief statements.

The silence surrounding the meetings has gone so far that an American spokesman even refused to acknowledge that the "Big Three" meeting will be a conference. The official American line was that it is to be just an informal gathering made possible because the Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, will be here to attend the Atlantic Pact Council on May 15.

American security included armed Marine guards posted before the American delegation's quarters on the second floor of the American Embassy.

Dr. Jessup, usually accessible to newsmen at the United Nations and on his other diplomatic assignments, has secluded himself this time. He is acting under strict orders from Mr. Acheson.

American efforts to make the conference itself seem unimportant run counter to the impressions distributed from British

Turks reject proposal for Dardanelles

Washington, April 27. Ambassador Ferdinand Erkin said today that Turkey has rejected finally and conclusively Moscow's proposal for Russian-Turkish control of the Dardanelles.

Mr. Erkin told reporters that a 30-minute conference with the Under-Secretary of State, James Webb, touched on that subject but there was no need of discussion.—Associated Press.

MINE SHARES TO GO TO U.S.

London, April 27. The United States will get part ownership of the rich Belgian Congo uranium mines which furnish 60 per cent of the world's uranium under the sale of shares in the Tanganyika Concessions, Ltd., it was announced by the British Government tonight.

The United States has received the entire output of the Belgian Congo uranium mines — about 60,000 tons—since the war.

The Chief Soviet delegate, Jacob Malik, appeared in person for the latest Soviet walk-out. His performance followed the pattern made familiar by the Russians in the last three months. He declared: "The Soviet delegation considers the maintenance of the Kuomintang group illegal and insists on the removal of its representative from this commission." He then moved formally to eject the Nationalists.

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Anti-KMT move fails by one vote at UN

Lake Success, April 27. Russia walked out of the United Nations Commission for Conventional Armaments today after failing by a margin of one vote to unseat the Chinese Nationalists.

The 4-3 vote to keep Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalists in their seats was immediately challenged by Russia on the grounds that China had cast a decisive vote in its own favour. The Soviet walk-out was the 23rd in a row started when Russia left the Security Council last January 13.

It came after the closest vote yet returned on the question of Chinese representation. India and Yugoslavia joined Russia in voting to expel the Nationalists. The United States, France, Cuba and China voted against the Russian motion to eject them. Britain, Norway, Ecuador and Egypt abstained.

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U.S. TALKS ON AIR STRATEGY

Camp Mackall, North Carolina, April 27.

General Hoyt Vandenberg, Air Chief of Staff, disclosed today that senior air officers have just completed a review of secret overall air force plans at two and a half day meeting at Ramcy air base, Puerto Rico.

The meeting, which General Vandenberg described as routine, gave the officers an opportunity to discuss the Air Force's strategic situation in the light of the recent cold war developments unfavourable to the U.S.

Instead, Malik said, Russia would not recognise as legal any action taken in its absence, gathered up his papers and left.

The U.S. delegate, Frank Nash, denounced the Russian walk-out and suggested that the Commission send to its working committee a General Assembly resolution relayed by the Security Council requesting the group resume its work on plans for world disarmament.

The Commission has before it a French plan for a world census of conventional armament excluding atomic weapons. The group voted unanimously in Russia's absence to send the resolution to the working committee with instructions for that group to report not later than July 13.—United Press.

Washington, April 27. The Senate today refused by 42 votes to 35 to bring Franco-Spain into the Marshall Plan.—Associated Press.

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NATIONALISM MORE ACTIVE IN GERMANY

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The resolution said trade promotion is absolutely an essential link in the life of Japan, and added: "From a purely economic viewpoint entirely dissociated from any problems of political issues or ideology, the Government should set up an aggressive policy toward exchanging trade missions with New China and resuming direct trade as early as possible and make every effort to realize these objectives."

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He said, "This is a crucial period for Germany, in which we should redouble our efforts to guide German public attitudes in the direction of the free Western world."

"This atmosphere of freedom, in which new attitudes will have full opportunity for development, exists in Western Germany in sharp contrast to the suppression of freedom in the Soviet zone."

The report estimated that 30,000 refugees arrive in West Germany every month, principally from the Soviet zone.

"Because of their plight, the refugees are susceptible to undesirable political influence and the strategems of demagogic leadership," the report said.

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U.S. BUILDING UP A CASE

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American authorities today laid the groundwork for further protests to Russia by concluding that the plane wreckage found in the Baltic must have come from the Navy "Privateer" missing with 10 men aboard.

The assembly, identified as of the "Privateer" type on Wednesday night by United States officials in Stockholm, could only have come from the missing "Privateer," plane.

We know of no other "Privateer" flying in the area at the time, and the wreckage is definitely from a "Privateer," an American source said.

The statement referred to a punctured and apparently bullet-riddled 325-pound assembly, the first concrete evidence linked directly with the plane that disappeared on April 8 when Russian fighters fired on an American plane.

Three more yellow rubber suits, possibly from the missing plane, have been found on the beaches of the Danish Baltic Island of Langeland.

In addition, a small book in English has been washed ashore. One suit with English markings was found on Wednesday morning by a Langeland farmer.

Local police authorities said all four rubber suits seem to be identical. The book, police said, was almost destroyed by water but English words can be clearly read. Police officers who inspected the book believe it was a list of names.

The suits and the book will be sent to the American Embassy in Copenhagen, United Press, and American Consulate in Copenhagen.

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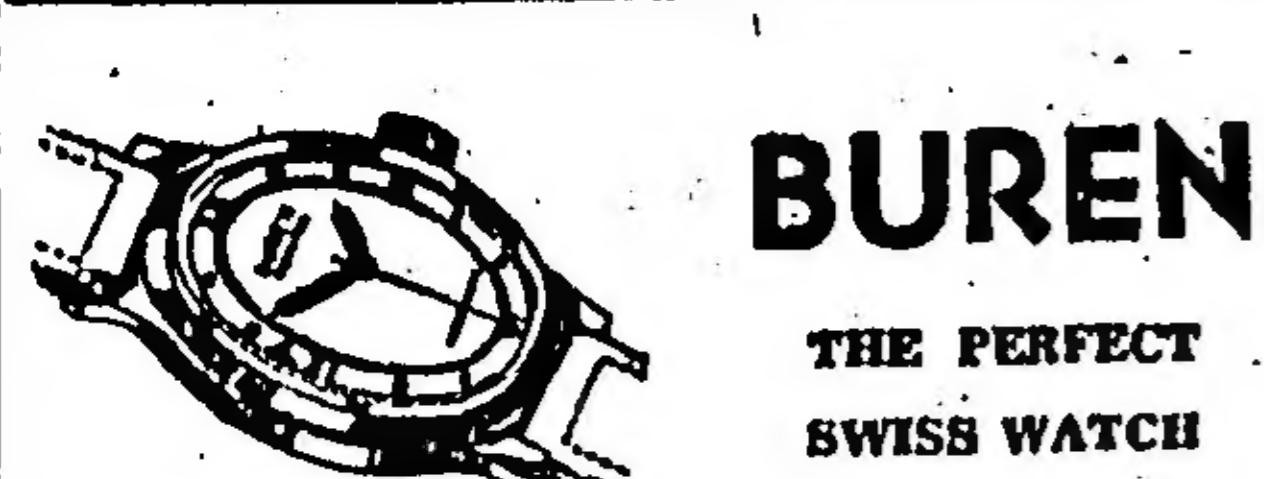
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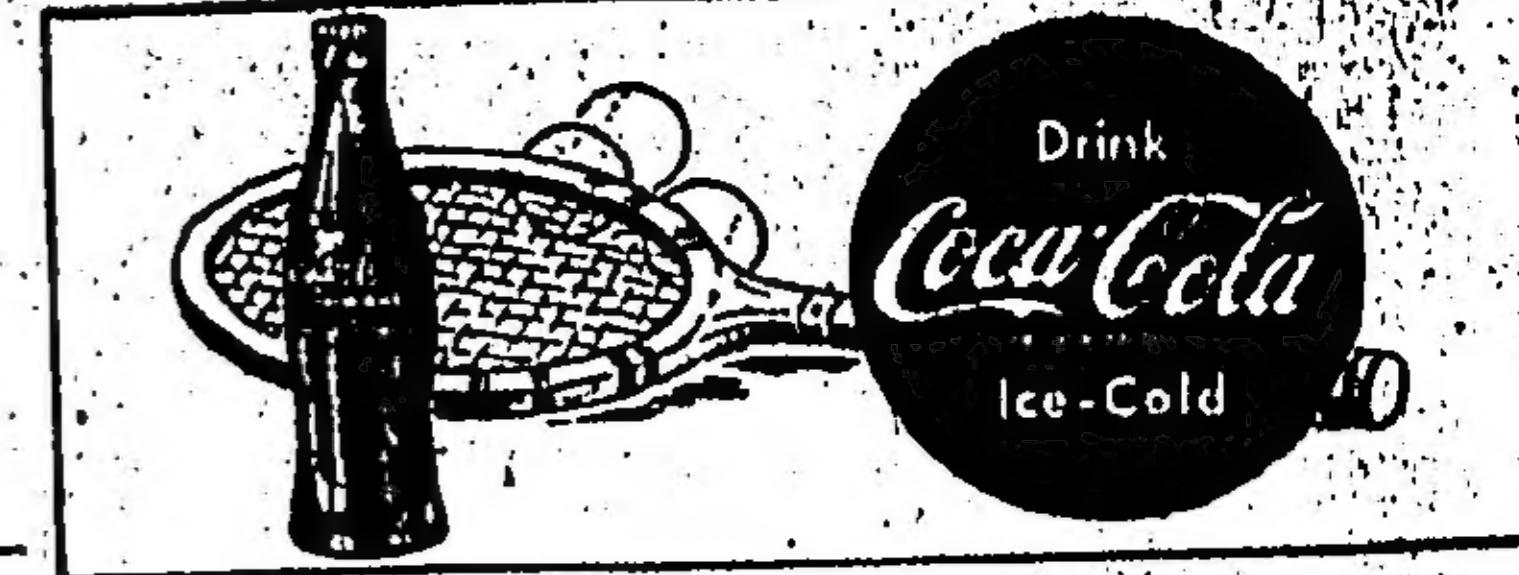
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Fifth Race Meeting:

HELLZAPOPPIN EXPECTED TO WIN ST. GEORGE'S PLATE

(By "RAPIER")

The Fifth Race Meeting, under the auspices of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, to be held at the Valley this afternoon, consisted originally of 10 events, but owing to the large number of entries for the "Mount Nicholson Stakes," the Stewards have decided to run the race in two sections.

The Second section will be race No. 11 and run at 6.50 p.m. There will be no Cash Sweep on this race.

The most important race of the afternoon is the St. George's Plate, a handicap event for Australian Ponies of 1950.

The First saddling bell will be run at 1.30 p.m. and the first race will begin at 2.00 p.m. sharp.

The death of Mr. Percy Tester last Sunday has left a gap in the Stewards' department which will be hard to fill.

Mr. Tester, by his genial disposition and unassuming manner, had endeared himself to all who knew him and his death has evoked general expressions of sympathy.

On behalf of my readers, I extend to his relatives the fullest sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Race No. 1—Mount Gough Handicap (First Section): One Mile.

The first event on the programme is confined to Australian Ponies of previous seasons classified Class 4 Ponies to be ridden by riders who have not won 10 races anywhere at any time. No whips or spurs allowed.

From the entries, the following should be worth watching: Liberty Ship (Mr. Chuang), Penforce (Mr. H. C. Woo), Hong Kong Slutza (Mr. Mok), Top Hat (Mr. Dau) and Happy Valley (Mr. Tseng).

I strongly fancy Liberty Ship, as the distance is well suited for this pony, although it failed to gain a place at the last meeting over six furlongs.

Main challenge should come from Penforce, which is quite at home over this distance and should not be ignored, as it is being quietly tipped.

Then there is Hong Kong Slutza to be considered, as it is quite capable of giving the above-mentioned ponies a good fight, while Top Hat, a fast improving pony, may probably extend them.

Happy Valley, on account of its fitness at the moment, might cause an upset.

Race No. 2—Talmoshan Stakes: From The 1½ Mile Post.

Looking over the entries for this sprint event, I don't think there is much doubt but that Robin Hood (Mr. Muir), will win, unless something out of the ordinary happens.

Hung Fa (Mr. Maitland), which has not as yet done anything of note so far, should have no difficulty in taking second place.

For the third position My Darling (Mr. Shieh) and Winged (Mr. T. L. Wong), should fight out the issue.

Race No. 3—Mount Davis Handicap: One Mile.

In this race, Australian Ponies of 1950 classified Class 4, will fight out the issue and among the entries I expect one of the following to be the winner: True Love (Mr. Noot), Wonderful Mare (Mr. Holgate), Henrietta (Mr. Symonds), Goldfield (Mr. Renner) and Eleanor (Mr. Won Yun).

True Love, in view of its fourth placing in the Tai Kok Tsui Stakes over this distance at the Easter Race Meeting, has the best recommendation for a win here, but it will have to give of its best to beat Wonderful Mare, which ran unplaced in the Monkotkuai Handicap at the last meeting, when it was made hot favourite.

Henrietta should give the above two ponies a good fight for the first position.

Goldfield and Eleanor are good over this distance and I think either one of them could cause an upset.

Race No. 4—Mount Nicholson Handicap: Six Furlongs.

This sprint race, confined to Australian Ponies of previous seasons classified Class 9.

For its win in the Shamshui Po Handicap over the mile at the last meeting for Novice Jockeys, Diamondfield (Mr. Cook), has been penalised by 18 lbs., but in view of that performance, I don't think the extra weight will ruin its chances of winning again.

There is Empress Gate (Mr. Need), which ran unplaced in this same race with Mr. Castro up, to be reckoned with as the distance is just to its liking.

Amsterdam (Mr. Wong), is another pony to watch as it has regained some of its old form, judging from its fourth placing in the above race.

"Rapier's" selections for today

Race No. 1—Mount Gough Handicap (First Section): One Mile:

LIBERTY SHIP
PENFORCE
TOP HAT

Outsider: Hong Kong Slutza.

Race No. 2—Talmoshan Stakes: From The 1½ Mile Post:

ROBIN HOOD
HUNG FA
MY DARLING

Outsider: Winged.

Race No. 3—Mount Davis Handicap: One Mile:

TRUE LOVE
WONDERFUL MARE

GOLDFIELD

Outsider: Eleanor.

Race No. 4—Mount Nicholson Stakes (First Section): Six Furlongs:

DIAMONDFIELD

EMPERORS GATE

BETTY LOU

Outsider: Trial Trip.

Race No. 5—Mount Gough Handicap (Second Section): One Mile:

SECOND SECTION OF CLASS 4.

Australian Ponies of previous seasons will try conclusions here over this distance.

Looking at the entries, Probability (Mr. K. F. Chiu), after coming in third in the Tai Jiang Handicap (Second Section), over six furlongs on the second day of the Easter Meeting, certainly appears to have the best recommendation for a win here.

I expect Shun Fun (Mr. Renfrew), which ran third under Mr. Kwok in the First Section of the above race, to give it a good fight.

Meteorologist (Mr. Need), failed badly in its last outing not gaining a place with Mr. Shi up, but should do better with Mr. Need in the saddle over the above distance.

For those who are looking for outsiders, I suggest keeping D Day (Mr. Chanson) and Autumn Leaf (Mr. Tao), in mind.

Race No. 6—St. George's Plate: One Mile.

This is the main event of the afternoon and is a handicap race for Australian ponies of 1950.

Bambi will again be ridden by Mr. H. C. Woo, and in view of its win in the Lal Chi Kok Handicap over six furlongs at the last meeting with Mr. Black up, I think it ought to win.

Ben More (Mr. Black) is, of course, the danger, and I expect to see it fighting out the finish.

Debutante (Mr. Noot) is also in the race, as its weight has come down by another 9 lbs since taking third place in the above race against Hellzapoppin.

Cleopatra (Mr. Thomas), is another good pony to bear in mind on account of its low weight of 139 lbs.

Race No. 7—Mount Kellat Handicap: Six Furlongs:

GYPSY DIAMOND
HIGH STRAIGHT

GOOD LUCK

Outsider: Corrib.

Race No. 8—Mount Parker Handicap (Second Section): One Mile:

BALLERINA

BUSTED STRAIGHT

STIRLING CABLE

Outsider: Sprinter.

Race No. 9—Mount Nicholson Stakes (Second Section): Six Furlongs:

BRONTE

AME CLIPPER

ARAXY

Outsider: Condor.

Race No. 10—Mount Parker Handicap (Second Section): One Mile:

SECOND SECTION OF CLASS 4.

Australian Ponies of previous seasons will gather together for this event and it looks as if the finish will be fought out between four ponies only.

Corrib (Mr. Ostromouff), is another pony to bear in mind, but it may disappoint again.

Race No. 11—Mount Parker Handicap (Second Section): One Mile:

SECOND SECTION OF CLASS 4.

For the third position My Darling (Mr. Shieh) and Winged (Mr. T. L. Wong), should fight out the issue.

Race No. 12—Mount Davis Handicap: One Mile.

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40 Inf. Div. Rifle meet:

I Royal Leicesters win Divisional Unit Championship

The 1st Battalion Royal Leicestershire Regiment won the Divisional Unit Championship at the 40 Infantry Division Rifle Meeting at Kai Tak Ranges yesterday, when the three-day meet was brought to a successful conclusion. An exciting finish marked the final of the Falling Plate Competition, which was won by the 1st Staffordshire Regiment, who beat HQ CREME by two plates.

The Invitation Falling Plate Special Cup for Arms other than Infantry was annexed by the 24 Field Engineer Regiment. On completion of the firing, Major-General Evans, General Officer Commanding, 40 Infantry Division, paid tribute to the Officers and men through whose efforts the Meeting had been made by two plates.

The Divisional Commando Special Cup for Arms other than Infantry was annexed by the 24 Field Engineer Regiment.

Major-General Evans congratulated the successful contestants and said that he was very much impressed with the high standard of the shooting.

Before calling upon Mrs. Evans to distribute the prizes, Major-General Evans expressed his thanks to those local commercial and banking concerns which had so very generously donated Challenge Cups.

The heavy state of the ground and an experimental defence contributed largely to the downfall of the Argylls, who further had the misfortune to find the Marines' forward line, especially their centre-forward, in top form.

Apart from a few raids on the 42 Commando goal, which were effectively broken up by a sure defence or by a very safe and confident goalkeeper, the Argylls spent the greater part of the game on the defensive.

The meeting was brought to a close with the Officers and men present giving Mrs. Evans three hearty cheers.

The following are the results of the three-day meet:

Individual Champion—Rifle—Major Pacey, 1 Royal Leicesters.

Individual Championship Class "A" (Infantry)—1. Major Pacey.

1 Royal Leicesters. 2. Major Bromhead, 1 Royal Leicesters. 3. Major Clement-Smith, HQ. 4C. Inf. Div.

Individual Championship Class "B" (Other Arms)—1. Sgt. Cross.

2. D. Field, Commanding Officer, 1st Royal Leicestershire Regiment, on behalf of his unit.

The meeting was brought to a close with the Officers and men present giving Mrs. Evans three hearty cheers.

The following are the results of the three-day meet:

Individual Champion—Rifle—Major Pacey, 1 Royal Leicesters.

Individual Championship Class "C" (Young Soldiers)—1. Pte. Don Du Ciel (B. Smith), Happy Haven (W. Rickaby), Summer Seas (D. Smith), Gonilnea (E. Smith), Upper Boats (T. Lowrey), Dibblette (C. Smirk), Tamburi (Gordon Richards), Stella Polaris (E. Britton), Scintillating (E. C. Elliott), Grecian Flower (F. Barlow), Brilliance (A. Breasley), Nassau (P. Gomez), Connaire (W. Johnstone), Flying Slipper (W. H. Carr), Bangsue III (T. Geeling). All carry nine stone. Reuter.

Individual Championship Class "D" (Other Arms)—1. Sgt. Cross.

2. D. Field, Commanding Officer, 1st Royal Leicesters. 3. Pte. S. Morris, 1 Royal Leicesters. 4. Pte. D. L. Williams, 1 Royal Leicesters. 5. Pte. D. L. Williams, 1 Royal Leicesters.

Individual Championship Class "E" (Young Soldiers)—1. Pte. Oxford, 1 South Staffords. 2. Pte. Turner, 1 South Staffords. 3. Pte. Purnell, 1 South Staffords.

Match II. Unit Team Match. 1. Royal Leicesters. 2. 1 Middlesex Regiment.

The Commandos obtained their seventh and last goal through Sugars their right-half.

KBGC LAWN BOWLS TEAM

The following have been selected to represent the Kowloon Bowling Green Club in a Friendly Lawn Bowls Match against Kowloon Docks Club, to be played at Hung Hom on Saturday, April 29, commencing at 3.30 p.m.

J. Tindall, R. H. Browne, A. Hutton, C. Dowman (Skip), W. Conway, A. J. Roberts, P. Plume, L. Guy (Skip), P. Hughes, F. C. Clemo, G. C. Norman, L. Sykes (Skip), L. Gaddi, T. Wren, D. Strall, A. Eastman (Skip), D. S. Oliver, W. Russell, A. Bailey, E. Greenwood (Skip), Reserve: L. C. Harris.

U.S. BASEBALL

New York, April 27.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Winning pitcher Ellis Kinder.

Losser Tompp Byrne.